

CASE IS REVERSED
BY SUPREME COURT

Opinion by Judge Cox Holds William Goecker is Entitled to a Recount of Ballots.

WAS A CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF

McOsker Was Declared Elected by a Plurality of Only a Few Votes.

The Supreme Court handed down an opinion in the case of William Goecker vs. Jerry McOsker reversing the lower court and gave a decision in favor of Goecker. The case is the outcome of a recent election in which Goecker was the candidate upon the republican ticket and McOsker was the democratic candidate for sheriff. McOsker won by a plurality of a few votes and Goecker asked for a recount.

The case was tried in the Jackson circuit court where it was held that Goecker was not entitled to a recount. The case was appealed to the Supreme Court and has been pending there for several months.

The campaign between McOsker and Goecker attracted considerable attention, as it was thought until the last precinct was heard from that Goecker would be elected. In that precinct, however, McOsker received the majority of votes which gave him a margin of a few votes over Goecker in the total count.

Judge Cox wrote the opinion in the Supreme Court. Under this decision Goecker is entitled to a recount of the votes and it can be determined if there was a mistake in counting the ballots and if all the votes for McOsker can be legally counted. Under a late law all the ballots are preserved and are in charge of the county clerk. As soon as the votes are counted the law requires that the ballots be sealed and that they be filed with the clerk of the circuit court and held for a certain length of time in order that either candidate may have an opportunity to ask for a recount.

Goecker's friends feel assured that he won the election and that a number of questionable ballots counted in favor of McOsker would be thrown out upon a recount.

The recount will probably be arranged for within a short time so that the contest can be finally settled. In case Goecker wins, McOsker will be required to pay over to him the salary and fees which he has collected since the expiration of his last term.

Mrs. Eliza Kain quietly celebrated her seventy-seventh birthday Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Barkman on East High street.

Elizabeth Stanley, vice president and state organizer of the W. C. T. U. organized a union at Vallonia Monday with a membership of eighteen.

Mrs. E. M. Young has returned from Bedford where she attended the funeral of her brother, the late James M. Snapp.

A daughter was born Monday night to Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Pease.

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STAGE CASE HEARD
IN CIRCUIT COURT

Charged With Assault and Battery For Firing Revolver Towards Children Who Were Snowballing.

IS TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Indictment in Lutes Perjury Case is Quashed Upon the Motion of The Defendant.

The case of the State of Indiana vs. Albert Stage in which the defendant was charged with assault and battery with intent was tried in the circuit court Monday. The defendant lives at Vallonia and is over sixty years of age. He has been in the police court at Seymour several times upon the charge of public intoxication.

The indictment upon which Stage was tried Monday alleges that he fired several shots last winter at a number of children in Vallonia who were snow-balling. It is stated that he was driving along the road in his buggy and some the snow balls were either directed at him or were carelessly thrown in his direction and that he became angry and drew his revolver.

Fortunately none of the children were hurt although the bullets narrowly escaped several of them. At the time this occurred Stage was said to be in an intoxicating condition.

After the evidence was heard Judge Shea took the case under advisement and Stage was placed in charge of Sheriff McOsker until the decision is given. The defendant is being held at the county jail until final disposition of the case is made.

The case of Wilburn Lutes of Salt Creek Township charged with perjury was set for today and about thirty-five witnesses were summoned. The case was not tried as the indictment was quashed upon the motion of the defendant.

A divorce was granted to Martha May Little from Perry Little, and the plaintiff was given the custody of the child.

A divorce was also granted Kate Bayatt from Charles C. Bayatt and the plaintiff was given the custody of the children.

Court adjourned at noon today and will probably not convene again until the latter part of the week. The term will close on Saturday.

GIRL BITTEN BY DOG

Which is Supposed to Have Been Suffering With Hydrophobia.

Iona McSwain was bitten Monday evening by a dog which is supposed to have been suffering from hydrophobia. The animal was acting in an unusual manner and shortly after it attacked the little girl it is said it was frothing at the mouth. The animal was killed as soon as he was located, and the head was sent to Indianapolis for examination.

Leonard Weddle Dead.

Leonard M. Weddle age 42 years, formerly of this city died Tuesday morning at his home in Indianapolis. He has been sick for some time. The remains will be brought here Wednesday morning and taken to Riverview cemetery for burial.

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Fruits and Vegetables
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Berries Crate	- - -	\$2.00
Berries quart	- - -	10c
Pineapples Crate of 36	- - -	\$2.65
Pineapples each	- - -	10c
Oranges No. 176 Doz	- - -	25c
Lemons Doz.	- - -	17c
New Potatoes Peck	- - -	65c
New Cabbage lb.	- - -	5c
Green Peas 1/4 Peck	- - -	20c
Green Beans 1/4 Peck	- - -	20c
Dry Onions Pound	- - -	5c
Old Potatoes 1/2 bu.	- - -	75c

Don't forget a cake on your order

HOADLEY'S

CITY COUSIN



COUNTRY CLUB

Grounds Will Be Opened For the Season on Decoration Day.

The members of the Country Club held a meeting in the City Hall last night to make arrangements for the opening of the grounds on Decoration Day for the present season. The grounds committee reported that the golf course was in excellent condition, and it was decided to hold the first games on Decoration Day. After that date the links will be open the rest of the season. The president and directors of the Club desire that a large number of the members attend the opening games. Several preliminary events have been arranged and a pleasant day is anticipated.

The annual entertainment at the Club House will not be held until some time next week.

ALL STARS WIN

Newly Organized Team Takes First Game from Four Corners.

The newly organized baseball team known as the Seymour All Stars played a fast game at Four Corners Sunday and defeated the Blue Jays by a score of seventeen to seven. This is the first game that the All Stars have played since the team was organized, and the boys are more than pleased with the showing they made. Several other games have been scheduled for the near future, and it is believed that this team will be one of the best amateur aggregations in the county.

The lineup for the Sunday game was as follows: Flechearty, c; Sprague, p; Mellencamp, ss; Foster, 1st; D. Moritz, 2nd; Horning, 3rd; Newkirk, lf; N. Moritz, cf; Morton, rf.

Mite Box Opening.

The mite box opening of the Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Ed Hancock. The ladies of the different churches are invited.

DREAMLAND
No. 1 "THE SWASTIKA" (MELIES INDIAN)
No. 2 "One is Business, the Other Crime" (Biograph Drama)
No. 3 "THE TIDE OF BATTLE" (Kalem War Historical)
ALL GOOD---DON'T MISS THEM

MAJESTIC
HAWKINS & CUSHMAN
In BITS OF NONSENSE

A "A PAIR OF JACKS" (Nestor)
B "Foolhead Protector of Innocence"
C "The Height of Her Triumph"
Prices 5 and 10c. Balcony 5c to All.
Matinee every Saturday afternoon.

MANY WILL ATTEND
SPEEDWAY EVENTS

Much Interest Shown in Seymour in Automobile Races at Indianapolis May 30.

KNIGHT WILL PILOT MACHINE.

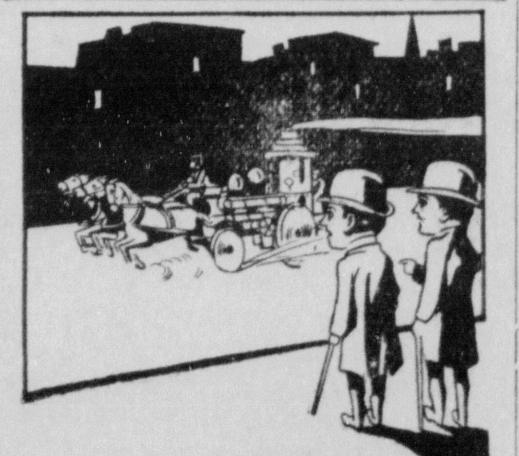
Former Local Boy Will Guide Big Car in the Five Hundred Mile Race.

A number of automobile enthusiasts are making arrangements to witness the automobile races at Indianapolis on Decoration Day. About twenty of the local cars will be driven to Indianapolis tomorrow. Much interest is shown in the speedway events and the details of the races will be followed closely by Seymour people.

The races promise to be the most interesting that have ever been held at Indianapolis, and it is estimated that with favorable weather 100,000 persons will witness the events. Cash prizes amounting to \$50,000 will be distributed among the winners. A number of foreign drivers have entered the races and several pilots who have never before appeared in the United States will be seen at Indianapolis on Decoration Day.

Much interest centers in the 500 Mile International Speed way race which will start promptly at 10 o'clock. In case of rain this race will be postponed until Saturday, June 1.

It is estimated that the pilots of the cars entered in his race will spend about six hours of racing before the total distance is covered. A number of the most widely known automobile



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drivers will drive the cars in the Indianapolis events.

Harry Knight formerly of this city will drive a Lexington car. Knight is only twenty-two years of age but is well known in the automobile world. He gained quite a reputation last year on the Indianapolis Speedway while driving in a 500 mile race. He was driving a Wescott car and was close behind another machine from which the mechanic had fallen on to the track.

Knight realized that if he proceeded with the car he could not avoid hitting the mechanic and in order to save his friend's life Knight wrecked his own car. He was slightly injured but not so seriously but what he was able to take part in later events. Knight has quite a racing record, having taken second place in the 100 mile race at Indianapolis in 1910. His time was 83 minutes. In the same year he captured third place in a 200 mile race at Fairmount. Last year he took first place in a 100 mile race at Columbus, Ohio and third place in a 100 mile race at Cincinnati.

Quite a number of people who desire to keep in touch with the progress of the various races and who will not be able to attend may hear the returns at the McCoy Garage on Chestnut street. Mr. McCoy has made arrangements to receive telegraphic reports every hour during the day and these messages will be posted so that they may be seen by the public.

O. U. Odd Fellows.

We are near it, June 4th. Do you fear it? Initiatory tonight. A full attendance is desired.

F. D. Marquette, N. G.

Miss Elizabeth Schneck, who has been spending a week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Winkenhoefer, returned to her home in Huntingburg this afternoon.

A grounded electric wire caused the Public Service Company considerable trouble today. All the lights and motors were out of commission about two hours during the day.

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Cut
Work
Shoes

Factory men who don't wear low cut shoes, don't know what they are missing. They are cooler, lighter to carry, easier generally—and they cost less.

Try them—you will never be without them in the summer season.

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Buy shoes at a shoe store.

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REPORT GIVEN ON
TITANIC DISASTER

Senator Smith Fixes Blame on Capt. Smith in Failing to Heed Warning Signals.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

United States Will Leave Punishment of Guilty Parties to England.

Washington, May 27.—Blame for the Titanic disaster is chargeable directly to the failure of Captain Smith to heed repeated warnings of icebergs ahead, but responsibility for unnecessary loss of life must be shared by Captain Lord, of the steamship Californian, through his disregard of distress signals. This is the finding of the senate committee which investigated the sinking of the Titanic as presented in a comprehensive speech delivered by William Alden Smith, of Michigan, chairman of the committee.

Just before delivering his speech, Senator Smith submitted the committee's report and its conclusions which were contained in his speech to the senate. The report was largely a review of the evidence, with recommendations for legislation.

Senator Smith declared that responsibility also rests on the British Board of Trade, "to whose laxity of regulation, and hasty inspection the world is largely indebted for the awful fatality." In denouncing Captain Lord, of the Californian, the senator said the Titanic's distress signals were plainly seen from the deck of his vessel a short distance away.

America will leave to England the chastisement of those guilty, asserted the senator, and he quoted British law to show that Captain Lord might be prosecuted for a misdemeanor.

SEYMOUR HAS FIVE CARRIERS.

Additional Postman Began Work Monday.

Louis Becker who was recently appointed city carrier began work yesterday morning as a regular postman. He has been connected with the post-office for some time as substitute carrier. The application requiring an additional carrier for Seymour was granted about a week ago.

The city is now divided into five districts, this being necessary on account of the large amount of mail which is distributed. The task of redistricting the city is rather a difficult one as the work must be evenly divided and the districts covered by each carrier so arranged that all them will be able to return to the postoffice within a few minutes of the same time. A few changes may be made in the districts as now arranged should it appear that some of the districts are larger or smaller than the others.

According to the new arrangement given, carrier No. 1, J. G. Wheaton has the northeast district. Carrier No. 2, Charles Eldridge, the southwest district; No. 3, Sam Jackson, the business district; No. 4, W. G. Geile, the northwest and No. 5, Louis Becker, the southeast district.

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It's Quick and Sure
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THREE OF THE BEST PICTURES.
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Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

BROKEN SWORDS.

"Heroes fighting with broken swords are all about you."

—said my author.

And I began looking about me, with astonishing revelations. I found heroes and heroines fighting the battle of life with blunt weapons.

Some of them?

A woman comes to our house to do the family washing—a cheery little woman who never complains. On inquiry I found that she had accomplished as much as fourteen washings, small and large, in a single week. For several years her husband has been bedridden, and the little woman has bravely supported the family.

She fights with a broken sword. Also I learned something of the life history of the sewing girl who occasionally helps the women of the household. She is a handsome "old maid" who might have married long ago but for the fact that she is the only breadwinner for an old mother and a decrepit aunt.

And there is the man who hauls away the ashes.

Five years ago his wife died, leaving him with four small children, one an infant in arms. I know that when the two older children of this man go to Sunday school they are as well dressed as any. I talked with him. He says he never spends a cent upon himself and that the children are good children and the oldest does the housework and all love their "daddy." He says he quit smoking his pipe because he was afraid it took the bread out of the mouths of the children.

Our ash man is a hero! And I thought of an old bachelor bookkeeper in an office adjoining mine downtown. Once when he was young he loved a girl and wanted to marry her, but he was the sole support of two helpless old ladies, and the girl would not wait. And so for years he has plodded away at his books, giving his wages and his very life to these decrepit relatives.

Fighting with a broken sword! And on the day I learned these things concerning the heroes and heroines about me my friend told me of a carpenter of his acquaintance who, after doing a day's work, works extra at night, denies himself needed sleep and is wearing out his life to educate his children.

Loyal fighters all! It is easy enough when silver bugles sound the challenge of the charge and the flag above you ripples in the breeze and comrades touch elbows to do the daring deed, but to fight alone and with broken sword—that's different.

These everyday heroes lead the forlorn hope day after day and do battle with blunt or broken weapons.

RED, ITCHING SKIN

Likely to Be First Stage of Eczema—What to Do.

Try This Remedy at Our Risk.

When the skin of face or body feels hot, drawn and irritable, it is likely to break out with small watery pimples accompanied by violent itching. This is one form of eczema, and should be attended to at once.

In all our experience we have never found anything to give such uniformly good results in skin troubles and eruptions, whether acute or chronic as our new skin remedy, Saxon Salve.

Besides allaying the frightful itching almost as soon as applied, it sinks into the skin like water into a sponge and thus completely envelops the diseased portion with its powerful healing and soothing ingredients. Improvement is seen in a very short time, and the skin is rendered soft and smooth again.

We cheerfully give back your money if Saxon Salve is not satisfactory. The Andrews Drug Co., Seymour, Ind.

Worth the Finding.

One strong thing I find here below—the just thing, the thing true.—Selected.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment wonderfully effective. One application will convince you of its merits. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

Woman's Superiority.

A woman is at her best when she knows it; a man when he doesn't.—Florida Times-Union.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

Good Health Almost Everything.

If you have good health you have nine-tenths of all that nature has ever given to any man.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach, and can be cured by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

FORGOTTEN ART OF WALKING

Americans, fonder of going and moving about than any other people in the world, do less walking. If we cannot have an automobile to carry us, a street car will serve, but under no circumstances must we walk more than a block or two. Such a thing as walking never enters our heads, unless it be insisted upon by our physician. The only time we walk voluntarily is around the billiard table or on the golf links. And yet walking is not only the best exercise in the world, as any physician will tell you, but it is one of the most delightful. A ramble along country lanes and through woodland shadows is one of the favorite pastimes of our English cousins, and it might be made one of our greatest pleasures. One can never see the beauties of nature from a car window, and the automobile merely unrolls the landscape in one indefinite blur. Even the more leisurely horse permits much to escape us. The call of the spring to the open air is here. The warm sunshine, the dry roads not yet grown dusty, the chatter of the birds, all call us to the great outdoors. Health, exhilaration and the sweet weariness that begets sound sleep await us there.

Somebody with a timorous imagination says sauerkraut is a dangerous explosive. He claims it has all the constituents necessary to qualify as an extra hazardous product. And yet we don't seem to remember any holocausts caused by a barrel of kraut letting go, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Nor do we hear that they are loading the Krupp guns with it over there in Essen, and if those daring Italian aviators are dropping it into Tripolitan camps the war correspondents have entirely overlooked it. In fact, until we are convinced that the cowardly bomb placer is setting shells loaded with kraut on the victim's back steps and blowing all the panels out of the kitchen door when the stuff goes off, we are going to take very little stock in the new scare.

Is no old established institution safe in this iconoclastic age? Now there are people casting doubt upon the sanitary utility of the tooth brush. They say that while it may be approved as a cosmetic there is nothing in statistics to show that school children who use it are freer from dental cares than those who do not. Undoubtedly the condition of the stomach has much to do with the health of the teeth. But there are other factors in the problem of dental decay, and it is unreasonable to believe that teeth kept from food particles are as liable to suffer deterioration as those surrounded by impurities which invite the activity of microbes. No one who has the tooth brush habit is likely to give it up because of the new iconoclasm.

A Boston medical authority says the time is coming when every household will have its electrical apparatus to supply its members unconsciously with the electrical energy they need to keep them in a perfect state of health. That's all very well, but down this way we will have to know first what it's going to cost. We are a little sensitive about our electricity bills.

Spots on the sun, according to an astronomical authority, are preparing stormy weather for us. It is hard; but, of course, as the earth is nothing but a satellite, it follows that when the sun is spotted we must suffer with some kind of sympathetic breaking out.

The theory that the garden of Eden may be somewhere in the neighborhood of the south pole may now start expeditions to discover that elusive spot. It will be remembered that in connection with this unknown place Adam was the original man who failed to "come back."

A country post office in Pennsylvania is vainly seeking a postmaster who will accept the salary of \$9 a year. Where is the boasted patriotism of the nation that its offices thus go begging?

Meat eaters, according to a college professor, are more active than vegetarians. Possibly it is because the prices makes the meat eaters hopping mad.

That icemen are enthusiastic conservationists is indicated by the size of the cubes they deposit in your ice box.

Though the court has permitted a divorced prima donna to resume her maiden name of Smith, it does not follow that she will.

Cleveland is offering one cent for every ten dead flies. It should be sure that they are Cleveland flies and not imports from Cincinnati.

It is now up to the scientist who insists that the Garden of Eden was located at the south pole to invent a hardy species of the fig tree.

There is considerable agitation in this country for a pension for mothers, but we do not hear anybody advocating a pension for mothers-in-law.

LAST WEEK FOR COUPONS

The Bible and Dictionary Coupons Will Be Discontinued After This Week.

The special offer which the Republican has been making for Bibles and Dictionaries will close after this week. The last coupon will be published Saturday, June 1, and all who wish to obtain a copy of the Bible and Dictionary on this special offer should take advantage of it not later than the middle of next week. The last coupon will be published on Saturday, June 1, and a few days will be allowed next week for returning the last of these so that every one may have an ample opportunity to secure this special rate which we are making on these books. See the conditions published elsewhere in this issue and take advantage of it while the offer is open.

Administrator's Sale of Personal Property.

By virtue of an order of the Jackson Circuit Court, and subject to its approval, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Armarantha Barendsdal, deceased, will at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. on the 29th day of May, 1912, and from day to day thereafter until sold, offer for sale at private sale at No. 24 East High Street in the City of Seymour, Indiana, the following described personal property belonging to said estate, to wit:—1 cooking range, 2 remnants of carpets, 2 rocking chairs, 3 dining room chairs, 1 kitchen table, 1 safe, 1 organ, 1 sideboard, 1 stand table, 1 porch chair and 1 rug.

Said property will be sold for not less than the full appraised value and for cash at the time of sale.

ULYSSES F. LEWIS, Administrator.

Notice.

Having closed out our stock of Furniture, Carpets and Stoves I have decided to close up our book accounts. All those knowing themselves indebted to me will please call at the old place of business and arrange for settlement at once.

Yours truly,
FRANK J. VOSS.

Sluggard and the Ant.

The Sluggard was watching the Ant. It was hurrying along with a bread crumb twice its size. "By Jove!" exclaimed the Sluggard, "the little beggar is a hustler!" The Sluggard went back to his work. He found that by not idling he could do twice as much as he usually did. True, he missed looking out of the window. The songs he used to sing, he missed them, too. But what did that matter? Was he not doing twice as much work? And he looked back on his idle ways with loathing. A month later three doctors stood by the Sluggard's bedside. They shook their heads. It was a bad case. One of them said: "Our patient has nervous prostration brought on by overwork." From that time, whenever the Sluggard saw an ant working, it gave him a headache. The moral being that each of us has his own rate of speed.

Even Sea Captains.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—I see that ten huge searchlights, to cost \$139,000, are to be installed on the fortifications at the entrance to Manila bay." Mr. Crimsonbeak—They seem to be making it more and more difficult for men to get out at night.

Domestic Reminiscence.

"You use the long-distance telephone a great deal when you are away from home?" "Yes," replied Mr. Meekton. "It keeps me from being homesick. Telephoning from a pay station makes me think of a conversation with Henrietta. As soon as the operator and I have said 'Hello' to each other she proceeds to tell me how much money she has to have."

THIS LADY'S GOOD APPETITE

Mrs. Hansen, in a Letter From Mobile, Tells How She Gained It.

Mobile, Ala.—"I suffered for seven years, with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Sigurd Hansen in a letter from this city. "I felt weak and always had a headache and was always going to the doctor. At last I was operated on, and felt better, but soon I had the same trouble."

My husband asked me to try Cardui. I felt better after the first bottle, and now, I have a good appetite and sleep well. I feel fine, and the doctor tells me I am looking better than he ever saw me."

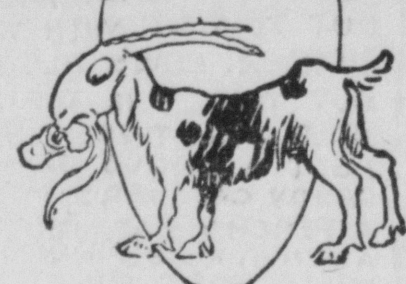
If you are sick and miserable, and suffer from any of the pains due to womanly trouble—try Cardui.

Cardui is successful because it is composed of ingredients that have been found to act curatively on the womanly constitution.

For more than fifty years, it has been used by women of all ages, with great success. Try it. Your druggist sells it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment of Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

CURRENT WIT and HUMOR



Sayings of Famous Men.

Old Black Joe: "Yes, suh; I's comin'."

Jean Valjean: "I suppose if I wanted to I could make Frank Gotch look like a piker."

David Harum: "Gee! What a horse trade I could have got out of King Richard the Third!"

Baron Munchausen: "What's the matter with naming a club after me!"

Had a Purpose.

Upholsterer—Madam, this is a fine reception chair. Our latest design. Try it, please.

Mrs. Society—Dear me, how uncomfortable it is. I couldn't sit in it for five minutes.

Upholsterer—That's it, exactly, madam. You see, it is intended for callers.—Stray Stories.

Significant Raiment.

"I think that man will make a politician," said the cynical observer. "I never saw anybody take so naturally to a high silk hat and a Prince Albert coat."

"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum, critically; "but the hat is always neatly ironed, and the coat never has any of the buttons missing."

The Reason.

"You know Alice was struck with the craze to be a business woman and be independent."

"Yes?"

"Well, she and her business have gone to the wall."

"How was that?"

"She has taken up house decoration."

Appreciation.

District Visitor—I hope you appreciate the fact that your landlord has spent so much money to make this a model tenement. Don't you think it fine he has put a bathtub on every floor?

Tenant—Shure, mem. They come so handy to put the coal an' wood in.

NOT EXACTLY.



First Preacher—Do they fight much in your church choir?

Second Preacher—No; they usually wait until they get outside.

'Twould.

'Twould take a man with steel-clad shins Such hardships to endure, While groping in a dark room full Of concrete furniture.

Intangible Fortunes.

"You say you lost a fortune on Wall street?"

"Yes," replied the philosophic person. "But it's the same fortune my broker told me I had made the week previous, so I don't know that I ought to feel any different from what I did before."

Big Ones.

"How do you make your living, my lad?"

"Picking up pins, sir."

"Dear me! What an odd occupation. Where?"

"In a bowling alley, sir."

Amazing Ignorance.

"Dibble doesn't seem to know much about business matters."

"No?"

"When I told him to look me up in Bradstreet he asked me what number."

A Fertile Field.

"Great Scott, man, I didn't expect to run across you in this village! What is a fellow of your ability doing among all these boobs?"

"The boobs."

Vindictive.

"This show cost the producer \$30,000."

"I'm glad of it."

ONE TRUTHFUL AMERICAN.

The incumbent of an old church in Wales asked a party of Americans to visit his parochial school. After a recitation he invited them to question the pupils, and one of the party accepted the invitation.

"Little boy," he said to a rosy-faced lad, "can you tell me who George Washington was?"

"Iss, sir," was the smiling reply. "E was a 'Merican general."

"Quite right. And can you tell me what George Washington was remarkable for?"

"Iss, sir. 'E was remarkable 'cos 'e was a 'Merican an' told the truth."

—Youth's Companion.

Ah!

"When some one asked Mrs. Biffers if there were any wicked little boys in her neighborhood she said there were four."

"How many little boys live in her neighborhood?"

"Five, but one of them is named Bobby Biffers."

The Double Shake.

"Are you aware that merely by shaking hands a person can accumulate in his palm 3,000,000,000 deadly or disagreeable germs?"

"No, I was not aware of that, but the next time I meet Janice I expect to accumulate 6,000,000,000 deadly or disagreeable germs."

RIGHT IN HIS LINE.



Jack—I bet that fellow dented the ice all right.

Jim—That's all right; that's Bill Molar the dentist.

A Recipe.

However dark and drear the moon, If work's to do, begin it, And though the day seem quite forlorn, You'll find some gladness in it.

Perpetual Worth.

"Why was it you never married again, Aunt Sallie?" inquired Mrs. McClane of an old colored woman in West Virginia.

"Deed, Miss Ellie," replied the old woman, earnestly, "dat daid nigger's wuth moah to me dan a live one. I gits a pension."—Lippincott's.

An Indiscreet Friend.

"The baby likes to play with my hair."

"But you don't trust him with it when you are out, do you?" inquired her caller.

And thus a coolness arose between two women who had been lifelong friends.

Complete Failure.

"I understand Dubley failed in business yesterday for the fourth or fifth time."

"Haven't you heard the later news? He shot himself this mornng."

"Suicide?"

"An attempt, but he failed even at that."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Slightly Misunderstood.

Mrs. Dashaway—Yes, while we were in Egypt we visited the pyramids. They were literally covered with hieroglyphics.

Mrs. Pneurish—Ugh! Wasn't you afraid some of 'em would get on you? —Puck.

A HOT ONE.



Mrs. Jones—Did any of the workmen escape with his life?

Jones—Well, I don't think anyone escaped without his life.

Mother Goose.

There was an old woman Who wanted a flat; She had seven children, So that settled that.

Usual Thing.

"I felt a presentment at that wedding everything was not going to turn out well."

"That's nothing. There is generally a mis-giving at a wedding."

WIFE'S HEALTH RESTORED

Husband Declared Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Would Restore Her Health, And It Did.

Ashland, Ky.—"Four years ago I seemed to have everything the matter with me. I had female and kidney trouble and was so bad off I could hardly rest day or night. I doctored with all the best doctors in town and took many kinds of medicine but nothing did any good until I tried your wonderful remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My husband said it would restore my health and it has."

Mrs. MAY WYATT, Ashland, Ky.

There are probably hundreds of thousands of women in the United States who have been benefitted by this famous old remedy, which was produced from roots and herbs over thirty years ago by a woman to relieve woman's suffering.

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TASTE, SMELL AND HEARING RESTORED

A Simple, Harmless Remedy Quickly Relieves Catarrhal Deafness.

The thousands who suffer the miseries of catarrh, and claim they have never found a cure, can get instant relief by simply anointing the nostrils with Ely's Cream Balm.

Unlike internal medicines which upset the stomach, or strong snuffs which only aggravate the trouble, this cleansing, healing, antiseptic balm instantly reaches the seat of the trouble, stops the nasty discharge, clears the nose, head and throat, and brings back the sense of taste, smell and hearing. More than this, it strengthens the weakened, diseased tissues, thus protecting you against a return of the trouble.

Nasal catarrh is an inflammation of the membrane lining the air passages, and cannot be reached with mixtures taken into the stomach or with snuffs and powders which only cause additional irritation. Don't waste time on them. Get a fifty cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist, and after using it for a day you will wish you had tried it sooner.

A HARMLESS WAY TO DARKEN THE HAIR

A Little Sage and Sulphur Makes Gray Hair Vanish—A Remedy for All Hair Troubles

Who does not know the value of sage and sulphur for keeping the hair dark, soft, glossy and in good condition? As a matter of fact, sulphur is a natural element of hair, and a deficiency of it in the hair is held by many scalp specialists to be connected with loss of color and vitality of the hair. Unquestionably, there is no better remedy for hair and scalp troubles, especially premature grayness, than sage and sulphur, if properly prepared. The Wyeth Chemical Company of New York put up an ideal remedy of this kind, called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, and authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

If you have dandruff, or if your hair is thin or turning gray, get a bottle of this remedy from your druggist to-day, and see what it will do for you.

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LETS DOWN BARS TO OUR MARINES

They Now May Go Beyond the
Guantanamo Reserve.

MR. TAFT'S ANSWER TO GOMEZ

While Assuring the Island Government That Dispatch of Armed Forces to Cuban Waters Did Not Mean Intervention, Authority Was Given Colonel Karmany to Land His Marines if He Deems It Necessary.

Washington, May 23.—Communications exchanged between President Taft and President Gomez in the last twenty-four hours have demonstrated the fact that this government is firmly determined to afford all protection necessary to the American interests in Cuba and American citizens in that island, and only prompt restoration of order by the Cuban government can now keep United States marines out of the territory of that republic. Either Gomez must check the negro revolt or the United States will protect its own. Colonel Karmany now has authority to send his marines beyond the Guantanamo reserve if he deems it necessary after arrival there.

Replying to the Gomez note protesting against the naval demonstration in the vicinity of Cuba, President Taft assured the Cuban executive that the measures taken were not for the purpose of intervention in Cuba by the United States. At the same time the Taft note to Gomez did not pledge the United States not to intervene. It simply asserted that intervention was not now intended by this government.

Meanwhile the naval mobilization at Key West is being carried out exactly according to schedule and with the greatest dispatch. By tomorrow night the United States will have off the Cuban coast nine big fighting ships with about 2,500 marines on board, while 750 more marines will be landed at Guantanamo, supported by two gunboats. President Gomez's protest has not altered the Washington plans one jot.

Reports from Cuba received at the state department do not show the slightest change in the situation. All the dispatches told of disorders, roving bands of negroes, pillaging at will, demands upon managers of industrial enterprises for money, and the organization of volunteers in the towns. There was nothing in the least to support the statements in Gomez's note that his government was capable of taking care of an uprising.

Unofficial advices received here were to the effect that President Gomez and his cabinet gathered to frame another note to President Taft upon the receipt of the president's note. It is not generally believed here that the Cuban president will gain anything by continuing correspondence on the subject in the face of actual conditions.

GETTING BUSY

Cuba Exerting Its Full Armed Strength
Against Rebels.

Havana, May 23.—General Montegado, the commander-in-chief of all the armed forces in Cuba, has sailed from here with a strong force and Havana is now denuded of troops. President Gomez has issued a decree placing all volunteers who were armed to protect the towns, the sugar mills and other industries under the orders of regular officers whenever these are present.

The French consul at Santiago has ordered that French consular agents keep a record of damage to French property. General Iveton informed the French consul that he has 1,200 men in his command and they will not lay down their arms until the Morua law forbidding the organization or existence of a negro political party is repealed. General Iveton says the government has offered him and General Estonez each \$40,000 to lay down their arms.

General Iveton occupies an almost impregnable position in the same hills from which the Spaniards often futilely tried to dislodge the Cuban revolutionists.

In reply to President Taft's dispatch in regard to protection of American property and non-intervention, which was an answer to the formal protest of President Gomez in regard to the movement of American forces toward Cuba, the Cuban executive sent the following cablegram to the Washington government:

"I thank you beyond measure for your cablegram, which while tranquillizing Cuban patriotism with the assurance that your government will limit itself to observe the events with a disposition, in case of necessity, to protect lives and property of Americans and morally support the Cuban government without the necessity of landing troops on our territory, save in case of extreme necessity and on the understanding between both governments to that end. This proves the sincerity of the government and people of the United States and their noble and friendly sentiments toward the government and people of Cuba, who are determined as soon as possible to restore peace without any vacillating and without stopping at any sacrifices which the circumstances may demand."

DR. RAFAEL MONTORO.

Former Cuban Minister to
England, Leading "Intellectual."



POLICE UNABLE TO HANDLE BIG CROWD

Mr. Taft Placed In Danger at
Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 23.—With a speech here last night before one of the largest crowds that ever assembled on the million-dollar pier, President Taft closed his fourth day of campaigning in New Jersey. The president spoke in the dancing pavilion on the pier, and it was jammed to the doors. It was estimated that 10,000 persons were packed into the building, while thousands clamored for admission in the street. The great crowd greeted the president enthusiastically and repeatedly cheered his drives at Colonel Roosevelt.

It looked when the president was leaving the pier as if there would be trouble. The police were absolutely unable to handle the jam, and before Mr. Taft had headed for the door, hundreds were following close on his heels. For a time the police were able to hold the crowd in check, but then the momentum became too great and the president was rushed along as if propelled by a flying wedge. The president and all of his party were practically catapulted into the street, while many who were caught in the jam behind him had their clothes torn and were badly squeezed.

The last day of Colonel Roosevelt's Jersey campaign was attended by as big crowds as on the previous days. He journeyed from Morristown across the state to the Delaware at Phillipsburg and down to Princeton, ending his day among the oil workers of Bayonne and the laborers of Hoboken.

Twins Inseparably Bound.

Holyoke, Mass., May 23.—Twin babies, joined together in the manner of the famous Siamese twins, were born to Mrs. John Griggs of this city. The doctors said, with the exception of the joining of the bodies, the children were perfect.

Despondent Over Wife's Death.

Greensburg, Ind., May 23.—Herbert S. Sheridan, aged forty-seven, committed suicide by taking poison. He left a note in which he said that despondency over the death of his wife caused him to take his life.

No Hope For Wilbur Wright.

Dayton, O., May 23.—Slowly sinking, Wilbur Wright, the aviator, who for days has vainly struggled with the deadly typhoid fever, is dying. The attending physician says there is no hope.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Beef prices continue to go up in the wholesale markets.

The Dowager Duchess of Sutherland is dead in London.

The twenty-seventh session of the International Law association is being held in Paris.

Rebel officials in Juarez claim to have information from Torreon of its capture by their men.

The postoffice department has authorized an official aeroplane mail route between Cliffdale and Lynn, Mass.

New York hotels are being crippled by a strike affecting the men employed as waiters, cooks, pastry men and silver men.

A society has been formed among women prominent in social and religious circles of New York to check the rapidly spreading growth and power of Mormonism.

The eighth consignment of art subjects from J. P. Morgan has reached New York and now reposes with the earlier shipments in the Metropolitan Museum of Arts.

Albert Von Hoffman and Captain John Barry, who left San Antonio, Tex., in a balloon in an effort to capture the Lahm cup, descended near Roseville, Ill., 950 miles in a straight line from the starting point.

THIS ANNOUNCES BRAZIL'S STAND

Southern Republic Seriously Represents Our Action.

THE COFFEE SUIT IN POINT

Ambassador Da Gama in an Address Before the Pan-American Union at Which Secretary Knox Was Present, Hints Gravely That the Position of the United States in Valorization Suits, Threatens Long Friendship.

New York, May 23.—Speaking last night at the Waldorf at a dinner of the Pan-American union, the Brazilian ambassador made some vehement and frank remarks about the government's coffee suit.

Ambassador Domicio Da Gama made his remarks at the end of a speech which kept the diners laughing, and they scarcely knew what to make of it when he dropped into a serious tone and attacked the government's suit to obtain possession of Brazil's coffee now held in South Brooklyn.

They gasped a bit when he was through and then they realized that the slender Brazilian, sitting at table with the secretary of state and many other diplomatic representatives had the courage to say what he thought, they gave him a round of hand-clapping.

In his address the ambassador said: "I had intended to tell you all that, or at least a part, when my hopes for no new error in our commercial relations received a blow with the endorsement by the government of the United States of the somewhat arbitrary and quite revolutionary doctrine of paying for other people's merchandise not the price they ask for it, but the price the United States—I mean the American merchant—wants to pay for it."

"It is a brand new doctrine and the United States has been disposed to enforce it, often at the sacrifice of long standing friendship. In their eagerness to establish their right to meddle with the property of a foreign state, certain officials of this government went so far as to proclaim before an American court of justice the forfeiture of the sovereignty of that foreign state and this with no thoughtfulness of the consideration due to a friendly state."

The toastmaster was Henry White, ex-ambassador to France. At his right was Secretary of State Knox. At the head table also were Mayor Gaynor, Representative William Sulzer; Manuel Calero, ambassador from Mexico, and Nicholas Murray Butler, all of whom made speeches.

DARROW'S CASE

State Introducing Witnesses to Sustain Bribery Charge.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 23.—The trial of Clarence S. Darrow, the Chicago lawyer, for alleged jury bribery, is now in full swing.

George N. Lockwood, the Grand Jury, is telling his story of the alleged attempt to bribe him as a prospective juror in the McNamara trial.

The prosecution, it is said, does not expect to connect Darrow with the Lockwood bribery through Lockwood himself, but to present that phase of the case through Bert H. Franklin, who is expected to follow Lockwood on the stand.

The defense has promised a sharp cross-examination for both Lockwood and Franklin, particularly the latter, who pleaded guilty to the indictment of bribing Lockwood, and was fined \$4,000.

A remarkable situation manifested itself in the trial of Darrow when a citation was issued by Judge Hutton against Detective Foster, employed by the National Erectors' association, directing him to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt for publishing false statements in a Los Angeles newspaper relative to the Darrow case for the purpose of injuring the cause of the defense. In a published interview Foster was quoted as saying the conviction of Darrow is certain and that the dictagraph would be the important factor.

Retirement of Dr. Buckley.

Minneapolis, May 23.—In the Methodist general conference Dr. J. M. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate, withdrew his name as a candidate to succeed himself as editor of the paper.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
New York.....	63	Clear
Boston.....	70	Clear
Denver.....	52	Clear
San Francisco..	54	Clear
St. Paul.....	62	Clear
Chicago.....	82	Cloudy
Indianapolis...	79	Clear
St. Louis.....	82	Pt. Cloudy
New Orleans...	80	Clear
Washington...	74	Pt. Cloudy

Showers and cooler.

GENERAL ERNESTO ASBERT

Governor of Havana Province,
Prominent Liberal Politician.



HOUSE LIBEL CASE NOW BEING HEARD

Defendant On the Stand in His
Own Defense.

Washington, May 23.—In the criminal court the trial of Henry W. T. Page, a merchant of New York, for issuing a pamphlet libelling the members of the house judiciary committee, is in progress.

Representative Clayton testified that the judiciary committee received a memorial from Page, and after considering, decided that they had no authority to impeach state officers, which it demanded, and took no further steps. Representatives Sterling of Illinois and Floyd of Arkansas testified along the same lines.

Mr. Page on the stand in his own defense said he had advice of lawyers and others that the committee should have given him a hearing before dismissing his memorial or petition. It is expected that Page's defense will be that he had no malice against any member of the committee, but was merely trying to recall the members of the committee to what he considered a dereliction of duty.

MUST "COME THROUGH"

Chairman of Money Trust Committee
Issues Ultimatum to Bankers.

Washington, May 23.—Chairman Pujo of the banking and currency committee of the house, who has begun a preliminary investigation of the money trust, has sent an ultimatum to the bankers who have refused "by silence" to comply with his recent request for information. Pujo, although not stating what his course of action would be if this appeal was not recognized by the bankers, implied that forcible steps would be necessitated by a refusal.

Couldn't Hear the Train.

Sullivan, Ind., May 23.—John Arnett, aged eighty-five, unable to hear an approaching train, stepped on the track in front of a local freight and was fatally injured. He died an hour after.

Suicide Followed Quarrel.

Indianapolis, May 23.—James Fletcher, forty-nine years old, shot and killed himself at his home in Tenth street. The suicide was caused by a quarrel with his wife over a trifling matter.

THE NATIONAL GAME

Contests in the Three Big Leagues
Noted Here at a Glance.

National League.		R.H.E.
At Philadelphia—		
Boston.....	0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0	3 6 1
Philadelphia..	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 3 1
Brown, Perdue and Gowdy; Curtis, Alexander and Doolin, Moran.		
Second Game—		R.H.E.
Boston.....	0 1 0 0 0 2 1 0	4 9 2
Philadelphia..	0 4 0 0 0 1 0	5 6 1
Tyler, Hogg, Donnelly and Kling; Brennan and Doolin.		
At Pittsburgh—		R.H.E.
St. Louis.....	0 2 4 0 0 0 0 0	6 7 1
Pittsburgh...	2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	3 10 1
Willis, Steele and Bresnahan; Adams, Robinson and Kelly.		
At Brooklyn—		R.H.E.
New York....	2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0	6 6 0
Brooklyn....	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0	2 12 4
Ames and Meyers; Knetzer, Barger and Phelps.		
At Chicago—		R.H.E.
Cincinnati...	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	1 3 2
Chicago.....	0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1	4 10 0
Fromme and McLean; Reulbach and Needham.		
American League.		R.H.E.
At Boston—		
Philadelphia..	1 1 3 0 1 2 0 0	4 12 7 4
Boston.....	0 0 0 1 4 0 1 0	6 7 2
Plank, Bender, Brown, Brand and Thomas; O'Brien, Collins and Carrigan, Rediet and Nunamaker.		
At New York—		R.H.E.
Washington..	0 1 0 0 4 0 0 0	5 7 3
New York....	1 0 0 2 0 4 0 3	10 10 1
Hughes and Henry; Caldwell and Sweeney.		
American Association.		
At Minneapolis, 5; Milwaukee, 4.		
At Columbus, 5; Indianapolis, 6.		
At St. Paul, 3; Kansas City, 5.		
At Louisville, 2; Toledo, 5.		

MINERS VOTING ON AGREEMENT

Fate of Weekly Wage Law In
Balance Today.

ITS OPPONENTS ARE HOPEFUL

If the Miners of the Indiana Field Approve the Agreement Which Waives the Demand For Weekly Pay, the Present Law May Be So Weakened, Its Opponents Say, as to Pave Way For Demand For Repeal.

Indianapolis, May 23.—According to a member of the union living in this city, who has received several letters from men in the mines, fear that the approval of the proposed agreement between miners and operators in the Indiana field would greatly weaken the weekly wage law and possibly lead to its repeal by the next legislature will probably cut some figure in the miners' vote today. For twelve years the miners of the state worked in behalf of the passage of the weekly wage act, the first one passed being declared unconstitutional because it applied only to mining companies and was class legislation. The 1911 act is more general in its scope, applying to manufacturing as well as mining companies.

The weekly wage law applies, however, only if employees demand its application. The 1911 bill was passed largely at the insistence of representatives of the miners, and it was well known that some of the representatives of the operators who worked "around" the session attempted to defeat it. An effort to repeal the law is expected by the miners.

That the miners in approving the agreement which waives the demand for weekly pay will weaken the present law by putting into the hands of their opponents the argument that the original fighters for the law voted against applying it in their own cases, is the fear expressed by some who are fighting ratification of the Indiana agreement.

A FINE GIFT

Indiana Coal Operator Gives \$40,000
Home to Miners.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 23.—Job Freeman, a coal operator of Linton and Terre Haute, who gave his home, valued at \$40,000, in the former place, for a hospital to be maintained by the town of Linton, says he made the gift with the understanding that it is to be used for miners. The house has twenty-one rooms. Heretofore miners injured in the Linton field have been brought to hospitals in Terre Haute.

He Declined to Apologize.

Shelbyville, Ind., May 23.—Roy Adams was seriously wounded by Noah Williams, who slashed him with a knife. Adams had made a remark about Williams's wife, and Williams went to his room and demanded that he apologize. Adams did not seem inclined to do so, and Williams cut him across the head and on the body under the left arm. Williams was arrested.

Costly Blaze at Oolitic.

Oolitic, Ind., May 23.—Fire in the business district destroyed property to the value of \$25,000. The general store of Will Brown, with its contents; that of Frank Holland and its contents, and the drug store of Ben George were burned. The further advance of the fire was stayed by tearing down the postoffice and the office of Dr. Short.

Indianapolis Man Kills Wife.

Indianapolis, May 23.—Finding his wife, aged thirty-three, in a Court street resort last night, Albert Rogers, aged thirty-eight, a cement worker, persuaded her to leave and when they had reached the street he fired five shots from a revolver into her body, inflicting fatal wounds. Rogers is in jail.

Forty Dogs Ordered Slain.

Noblesville, Ind., May 23.—Orders have been issued to the police to kill forty dogs which have been bitten by a mad dog. The dog that caused all of the trouble was a small bull and belonged to Marshall Wiseman. It was killed on a country road after it had been chased thirty-nine miles.

No Diminution in Supply.

Princeton, Ind., May 23.—Blackbirds have become so numerous in this city that shotgun parties have been organized among the residents and they spend half of the night in shooting them. A great many have been killed, but the birds appear to be as numerous as ever.

Pain Drove Him to Death.

Vincennes, Ind., May 23.—Charles McLaughlin, aged fifty-nine, committed suicide in the county infirmary by cutting his throat with a razor. Pain, caused by a broken bone in his foot, and sickness are supposed to have caused the deed.

Debt Discouraged Him.

Muncie, Ind., May 23.—Despondent because he was in debt and had quarreled with his sweetheart, William Beard, aged twenty, a grocery clerk, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart.

CLARKE OF PITTSBURGH.

Pirates' Great Leader Says He
Has Quit Active Playing.



Photo by American Press Association.

THE COLONEL SEEKS LA FOLLETTE VOTES

Latest Movement Toward Unseating Mr. Root.

Ashland, Wis., May 23.—In order to defeat the nomination of Senator Root by the national committee, Governor Francis E. McGovern will be selected by the Roosevelt forces as a candidate for temporary chairman of the national Republican convention, is the assertion of leading LaFollette men. It is reported that the Roosevelt leaders already have signified their willingness to support Governor McGovern for the position. In order to defeat Root, the solid support of the LaFollette delegation, including the entire division from North Dakota and Wisconsin's thirty-six votes, will be needed in the effort to gain a working majority to dethrone Root. It is declared that the Roosevelt men have decided to come to Wisconsin for their temporary chairman and support McGovern. This will place the majority of the Wisconsin delegation in a position that their votes necessarily must be given to Roosevelt.

Letters detailing the plan have been sent by Roosevelt leaders to Wisconsin men. Conferences are to be held between the Roosevelt and LaFollette leaders, when it is said a decisive plan of action will be outlined.

Will Not Attend Funeral.

Berlin, May 23.—There is a sensation here over the report that the Kaiser has refused an invitation to attend or to be represented at the funeral of Prince George of Hanover, the son of the Duke of Cumberland, who was killed in an automobile accident on Monday. Moreover, it is said, he has forbidden any member of the Hohenzollern family to attend the funeral.

Jordan Denied New Trial.

Washington, May 23.—Chester S. Jordan, a Boston actor, sentenced to death in 1909 for wife murder, must pay the penalty of his crime. The United States supreme court has denied him a new trial. Jordan made the plea that one of the jurors who convicted him became insane afterward.

The German reichstag, after passing the army and navy increase bills, adjourned until autumn.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices For Grain
and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.	
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.15; No. 2 red, \$1.16½. Corn—No. 3, 81c. Oats—No. 2 white, 56½c. Hay—Baled, \$23.00@25.00; timothy, \$29.00@32.00; mixed, \$28.00@30.00. Cattle—\$3.00@8.65. Hogs—\$5.00@7.80. Sheep—\$3.00@5.25. Lambs—\$5.00@8.25. Receipts—1,000 hogs; 400 cattle; 350 sheep.	
At Cincinnati.	
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.23. Corn—No. 2, 84c. Oats—No. 2, 56½c. Cattle—\$4.00@8.40. Hogs—\$5.00@7.80. Sheep—\$2.75@4.75. Lambs—\$4.50@9.50.	
At Chicago.	
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.16½. Corn—No. 3, 82½c. Oats—No. 2, 57½c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00@9.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.30@6.85. Hogs—\$5.50@7.70. Sheep—\$4.60@7.40. Lambs—\$5.90@8.90.	
At St. Louis.	
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.20½. Corn—No. 2, 85c. Oats—No. 2, 56½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00@7.85. Hogs—\$5.25@7.75. Sheep—\$4.75@6.25. Lambs—\$6.25@9.00.	
At East Buffalo.	
Cattle—\$3.50@9.00. Hogs—\$5.00@8.00. Sheep—\$2.50@6.30. Lambs—\$4.00@9.00.	
Wheat at Toledo.	
Sept., \$1.15½; July, \$1.16½; cash, \$1.18½.	

Monster Alteration Sale Continues This Week

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TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1912.

SELLING TO MINORS

The recent occurrence in which four boys were found with a large quantity of beer is a matter of grave importance for two reasons. First, because of the law violation of this particular act, and secondly, it indicates that some of the saloon keepers have a general disregard for the liquor laws. The saloons are licensed to do business under the laws of the State of Indiana providing they conduct their business in a certain way. One of the things the law prohibits them from doing is the selling of liquor to minors, and is one of the strongest grounds for the revocation of a license. It does not appear that all the saloonists in Seymour are guilty of selling liquor to boys who have not reached their majority, but there is evidently at least one saloon where a minor can secure liquor. It is often a difficult task for the officers to ascertain just who is guilty of a violation of this character, but they should make every effort to locate

the guilty party and then proceedings be instituted to revoke his license.

The law anticipates the ill effect of the free use of intoxicating liquor by boys of tender years and one of the few provisions incorporated in the Proctor law, which by the way was prepared by the liquor men themselves, was that retail liquor dealers should not sell intoxicating liquor to any person under twenty-one years of age. The liquor dealers themselves recognize the importance of this clause, and no man who is so greedy that he will blight the life of a boy for a few pilfering cents is qualified to hold a license and conduct a saloon in our city.

The wise saloonkeeper will realize that the saloon business today is being conducted upon a sort of a probation plan. A few years ago liquor law violations became so flagrant that the people not only in this county but throughout the state of Indiana became so aroused that a large majority of the counties voted to put the saloons out of business. The Proctor law was then passed and many of these "dry" counties became automatically "wet" and rather than make a fight the people permitted the saloonists to again re-enter into business. But the wise dealer will see the handwriting on the wall, and must surely know that if his business is not conducted according to the letter and spirit of the law, the liquor business is forever doomed. The people even those who are in favor of the open saloon will not tolerate open law violations especially such a serious

one as selling liquor to a minor. Of course it is impossible for a saloonist to follow every bottle or bucket of beer that is taken from his place of business in order to see that it does not fall into the hands of a minor. Yet the fact is known that a bartender can usually judge if such a purchase is made for the customer's own use.

In the case of Saturday night the officers should leave no stone unturned in order to find out who made the illegal sale, and if the beer was purchased by the boys through a man of legal age, that person should be given the just punishment which he deserves.

THE SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

At the next meeting of the council the third member of the School Board will probably be chosen. In making the selection of a man for this important place, the council should not allow political or other influences to enter into their choice but should be guided only by one desire to elect a man who is qualified for the place. No institution touches so many homes as do the city schools, and every citizen of Seymour is personally interested in the educational system.

In the selection of the school trustee, the council should endeavor to choose a man who is progressive and who has an interest in the welfare of the schools. A strong educational system is not only desired but is necessary for the welfare of the children of our city, and the Board has much to do with keeping the schools

to the proper standard for upon them falls the duty of selecting the superintendent and the teaching force.

Our schools have made a marked advancement in the past ten years, and every effort should be made to retain their present high standard.

BIG CONTRACT.

Mitchell-Lewis Motor Co. Will Use
Invention of A. E. Berdon.

The Lafayette Daily Courier of recent date gives an account of a large contract which has been secured by the J. W. Esterline Co., for equipping the entire 1913 output of the Mitchell-Lewis Motor Co., with an electric lighting equipment which is the invention of A. E. Berdon formerly of this city. The contract represents more than a quarter of a million dollars.

The company began the manufacture of the lighting equipment for motor cars in 1911 which is now in use by a number of motor car companies. All the companies who used the equipment last year have placed orders for 1913, and a number of the leading companies will purchase the lights during the coming year.

The company has also announced a combined electric starting, electric lighting and ignition equipment for motor cars which will be ready for market this fall. This device lights the electric lamps, cranks the engine and furnishes current for ignition. All that is required to do is simply push a button and the starting device operates automatically.

The Esterline company is in negotiation with a number of railroad companies of the country which are preparing to conduct tests of the Berdon lighting system and the new fog penetrating head lights on their locomotives. The successful operation of the company's product, the rapid growth of the business and the immense field for the application of the different lines of the apparatus which the company is manufacturing is indicative that the Esterline company is destined to be a large and important industry.

VALUE INCREASES

Farm Lands Worth Twice as Much as
They Were Ten Years Ago.

The Census Bureau, in a bulletin issued recently, shows an amazing increase in farm values in Indiana during the ten years from 1900 to 1910. The figures are based on the tenth decennial census, taken in 1910.

In 1900 the average farm in Indiana, land only, was worth \$3,099. In 1910 the average Indiana farm, land only, was worth \$6,164.

The average number of acres in Indiana farms in 1910 was 98.8, as against 97.4 in 1900.

The average value of all farm property in 1910 was \$3,396, as against \$4,410 in 1900.

The average value per farm of buildings increased from \$694 in 1900 to \$1,235 in 1910. The average value of implements and machinery per farm increased from \$123 to \$190, and the average value of live stock from \$494 to \$807.

The greatest increase in the value of Indiana farm holdings during the decade, it will be observed, was in the value of the land itself, which nearly doubled.

The total value of all farm property in the United States in 1910 was \$40,991,449,090, as compared with \$20,439,901,164, in 1900. This is an increase of 100.5 per cent. There was an increase of 118.1 per cent in land, 77.8 per cent in buildings, 68.7 per cent in implements and machinery and 60.1 per cent in live stock.

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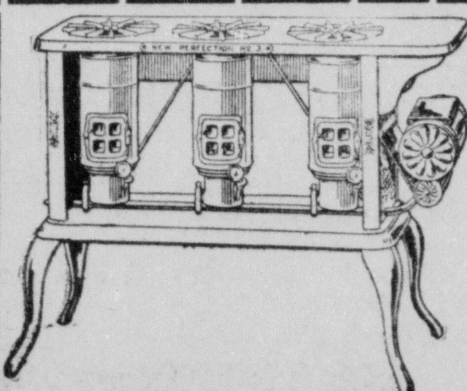
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PERSONAL.

Joe McNelly went to Brownstown this morning.

Dr. D. L. Prall went to Medora today on business.

Mrs. Martha Williams spent today in Brownstown.

C. S. Mercer was in Indianapolis today on business.

H. S. Dell transacted business at Brownstown today.

Merrick Gates went to Cincinnati Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Fink has gone to Nebraska to visit relatives.

Mrs. Leva McCrary was here from Brownstown this morning.

H. G. Hayden of Crawfordsville was here today on business.

Miss Hazel Clark is visiting relatives at Reddington this week.

Judge O. H. Montgomery was in North Vernon today on business.

J. W. VanArsdale of Bedford, was in the city yesterday on business.

John M. Lewis and C. W. Burkart attended court at Brownstown today.

R. O. Boyer, claim agent for the I. C. & S. was here today on business.

Mrs. Joseph Balsley of Indianapolis is visiting relatives and friends here.

S. A. Barnes and Noble Hays went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Judge Ed Jackson of New Castle is here today visiting at the Jackson orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burke and Miss Mayme Reinhart spent the day in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Jerome Boyles and Mrs. Ed Boyles and son are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

O. N. Spellman and Alex Lee went to Martinsville this morning to spend some time at the Sanitarium.

Miss Pauline Schneider went to Greenwood this afternoon to spend a few days with Mrs. Louis Farrell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day went to North Vernon this morning to attend the funeral of his uncle, Harry Harms.

Judge and Mrs. John B. Steele and daughter, of Greensburg, Pa., are the guests of Judge and Mrs. O. H. Montgomery.

Mrs. M. C. Carpenter and Mrs. C. R. Hoffman went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the Prohibition meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Beach and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Owens have gone to Langdon to spend a week fishing.

Mrs. George Graessle accompanied her husband to Baltimore, Md. Monday afternoon. They will be gone until the middle of June.

Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas of near Four Corners went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the state Prohibition meeting.

Mrs. Mike Welch went to Mitchell today to attend the high school commencement. Her niece, Miss Marie Murphy is one of the graduates.

Mrs. H. H. Conrad, Mrs. Fred Otto and son and Miss Myra Sleeper of Pittsburg, Pa., visited in the family of Mrs. Aug. Graf of Spraytown, last week.

PETITION IS GRANTED

Ewing Street Will Be Improved With Concrete.

The petition filed by the property owners on Ewing street asking that the improvement on that street be made of concrete instead of brick as was ordered by the council was granted at a special council meeting Monday night. The petition was signed by twenty-one property owners and was prepared according to law. A previous petition was filed a week ago but the council refused to consider it as the names were written in lead pencil instead of ink and the signatures were not witnessed.

The matter of relaying the sewer on Ewing street was also taken up, and it was decided to advertise for bids and have the cost of the work assessed to the abutting property owners. The contract for this sewer was given by the property owners to Joseph Burkart and he had commenced the work. He found, however, that the sewer did not have the proper fall and the matter was taken up with the council. The sewer will be permanently constructed before the improved streets are built.

Upon motion of Mr. Davison the city engineer was instructed to order telegraph and telephone poles moved wherever they interfered with the construction of gutter and curb. The chairman of the Board of Public Works stated that he had held some correspondence with the division engineer of the B. & O. regarding the opening of a ditch along the right of way near Brown street, and that the engineer suggested that a conference be held with the city engineer this morning.

A. V. Lawell was appointed inspector of the improvement on Walnut street and John L. Brown inspector on Ewing street.

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URGES FRANKNESS

S. O. Dunn Advises Railroads To Give Out the Facts.

Absolute frankness in the relation of the railways and the newspapers is advocated by Samuel O. Dunn, editor of the Railway Age Gazette, who writes interestingly in the current issue of the publication on the subject of "The Newspapers and the Railways."

"Many railway men have become aware that when anything happens on a road that is of public interest or concern the best policy is frankly to tell the facts, whether they reflect credit on the railway or not," writes Mr. Dunn.

"A policy of suppression, either out of regard for the feelings of the railway's claim department, or for any other cause, is not right. Nor is it expedient; for the newspapers are sure, when they hear about an accident, for example, to publish something."

"Unfortunately many railway managers have not learned both the rightfulness and the expediency of dealing thus frankly with the press and the public."

"It is also true that many railways leave the handling of news regarding their affairs to their advertising departments; and that advertising agents and those employed specifically as publicity agents, sometimes send out as news what really is not news, but advertising. Frequently this is the fault of their superior officers, who, while perhaps knowing little or nothing about the newspaper business, are unwilling to be guided by the knowledge and advice of those who do know something about it."

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Graduates of Township Schools Receive Diplomas Thursday.

The annual commencement exercises of Jackson Township Public Schools will be held at the Consolidated school at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, May 30. The four members of the graduating class are: Frieda Kasting, Chester Riley, Otis Ruddick and Nettie Wise.

The year just closing has been a most successful one for the township schools and an excellent standard of work has been maintained in all the classes. Much interest is taken in the school work by the patrons who are always ready to assist in any move which will result in the betterment of the work. There are six teachers in the township schools, the Misses Enola Harris, Elsie Rucker, Millicent McDonald, Emma Ross, Lillian Prewitt and Clem Roegge. The work of the school is carried on under the direction of the Township Trustee Charles Steinwedel.

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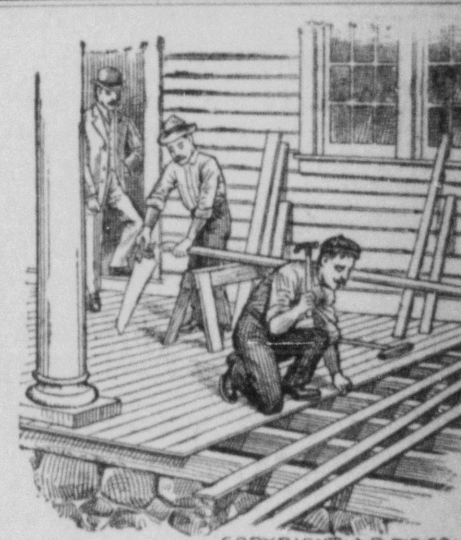
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CHAPTER VIII.

Team-Mated.

Floyd returned Stanton's call after a fashion of his own, some days later. "There's a gentleman down-stairs to see you, sir," the bell-boy brought information to the latter, one afternoon. "He won't come up because he says he can't leave his automobile, but he'd be glad if you'd come down, sir."

Stanton looked at the card presented, and rose with alacrity. His mechanic was in the hall, gazing across the wide windows at a low-slung, long-bonneted, dull-gray motorcar that stood by the curb. A car stripped of bare of every superfluous belongings as a pugilist entering the ring. At the hiss of the descending elevator he turned to meet Stanton with his smile of sun-shot cordiality.

"I was afraid to let your machine out of my sight," he exclaimed. "She is going on to Indiana, to-night, and the chief wanted you to see her first. There wasn't time to get you out to the factory, after fixing her steering business the way you wanted, so they sent her down for you to look over. The chief sent word for you to try her out anywhere you liked and he would pay the cost if you got in trouble, but to get her shipped west to-night unless she had to go back to the factory, for there were rumors of a strike among the train men and we might not be able to get her through in time for the race."

"Who drove her down here?" Stanton demanded, casting a jealous glance out the window, but accepting the facts more amiably than could have been expected.

"The chief, until he left me at the avenue corner, just now. He said—never mind."

"Oh, go ahead."

"Well, he said he had been a racing driver himself and knew how you would feel about having your car yanked thirty miles across country roads by another driver; and, er—that he guessed that he was the only man in the shops who'd care to tell you he had done it."

"I'll get some driving things," suggested Stanton, and went back to the elevator.

When he joined Floyd beside the big car, he stood for a moment busied with the clasp of his gauntlet, before attempting to start.

"Miss Floyd told you of my call, the other day?" he queried.

"Yes, of course. I was sorry to be away; I had never thought of your hunting me up."

"You did not object to my taking her out? There was no way of asking you."

This from the self-willed Stanton! Floyd's eyes glinted with an appreciation at once humorous and touched.

"Object? Why? You could take care of her," he countered.

"Fix the spark," bade Stanton, and went front to crank his motor.

"We'll not get half a block without drawing every mounted policeman for ten miles," Floyd called, above the roar of the exhausts. "We ought to have made ready by putting on a few dozen mufflers."

"What time must she be shipped?"

"We must have her at the Mercury office by six o'clock, unless you say she has to go back to the factory."

"It is after four, now. No time to try the Long Island course, and there is a motor-cycle race on the Beach track. Get into your seat; we'll take Pelham Parkway."

"Pelham Parkway! Why—"

"Have you anything better to propose?"

"It's a first offense," Floyd resigned himself. "They can't do worse than fine you."

Stanton shrugged his shoulders, and the car rolled forward.

The Mercury glided through the teaming, congested streets, and left a trail of record behind her. Not a traffic officer's slightest signal was disregarded, no speed regulations were materially fractured; Stanton drove like a law-abiding chauffeur from the suburbs, and until they were in the park.

"Don't see or hear too much, and don't tell me if you do," advised Stanton suddenly, and leaned forward.

The Mercury uttered a vibrant roar that cleared the Parkway for a quarter of a mile ahead, and leaped.

Floyd kept his eyes upon the road in front, carefully avoiding view of the hubbub left in their wake. He had a fleeting glimpse of one scandalized officer struggling with his rearing horse, as they thundered past, and he entertained no doubt of the number in their rear.

"She steers a little stiff," Stanton observed, twisting between a limousine and two carriages. "But we can fix that at the track. What?"

"Two motor-cycle policemen are just behind," communicated Floyd, devoutly by silent mirth. "Had enough?"

"I haven't seen them yet. I can't let the machine here, of course, but—was that a dog?"

"Poodle."

"But it seems all right."

Around a curve ahead darted a blue-uniformed figure on a motor-cycle, one arm raised. Stanton instantly checked his car, Floyd throwing out his hand in warning to those behind. There was a mad series of explosions from the abruptly halted motor-cycles in pursuit.

"You're under arrest!" shouted three voices at once, as the Mercury slid to a standstill.

"Is it possible?" inquired the driver, removing his goggles.

Two more motor-cycle officers were coming up, three mounted on horses were arriving from side-paths. Surrounded by the outraged eight and all the population in the neighborhood, the Mercury stood quiescent.

"Will you follow to the police sta-



"Miss Floyd, Let Me Introduce Miss Carlisle."

tion, or will we have to take you?" came the crisp question. "We've got your number."

"I'll follow wherever you like," engaged Stanton. "Lead the way."

They started, preceded by one officer and followed by another, also by a shabby young man on a bicycle. Into the station they went, accompanied by their three attendants.

The charge was three fold: exceeding the speed limit by some fifty miles an hour, resisting arrest, and violating the smoke ordinance. That set forth, the usual interrogatory was put, Stanton replying with concise brevity.

"Name and age?"

"Ralph Stanton, twenty-six."

"Occupation?"

"Automobile driver."

"Name of car?"

"Mercury."

"Owner?"

"The Mercury Company."

The shabby young man interrupted proceedings by a stifled gasp, grasping the sleeve of Floyd, and stood looking on.

"That's Stanton? Stanton? And you—who are you?"

"Jes Floyd, his mechanic," was the wondering response.

Stanton glanced that way, as Floyd was drawn to the other side of the room by his excited captor, but turned back to answer the remainder of the examination. When the ceremony was ended, he signaled to his mechanic.

"Come; I've got to go before the magistrate and give bail," he summoned impatiently.

Floyd came across to him, shining-eyed and eager.

"Stanton, that is a reporter; he wants us to tell him about your doing this. He needs a fresh story to make good with his paper—can't we give it to him?"

Stanton surveyed his companion, eyebrows lifted.

"Why should we? The newspapers will get it, whatever we do. Come."

"But he needs it; it would help him," Floyd urged. "He, he's thin and frayed out—Stanton, he looks hungry."

"Do you want to help him?" the driver queried, astonished. "Do you care about a man you do not know and never see again?"

"Don't you?" asked Floyd simply.

"I'm not from Paradise," dryly answered Stanton. "Tell him anything you like, but be quick."

He looked at the reporter again, with a new use of his eyes. Floyd was right; the man was threadbare and gaunt, and pathetically young. Stanton had a rebuked consciousness of being strong and brutal in his strength, successful and selfish in his success.

"You are an educating companion," he observed, as they went out with an officer.

"Why?" Floyd inquired, puzzled.

But Stanton would elucidate no further.

The ordeal before the magistrate was not long. Stanton was held in a thousand dollars bail for future trial, produced a surety company's bond, and in fifteen minutes was free and once more in his seat behind the Mercury's wheel.

"We will reach the office on time," commented the lawbreaker.

"You do it like a veteran," Floyd mused with mock suspicion.

At the office they left the car, but not each other. There was growing upon Stanton more and more the desire for Jesse Floyd's companionship, a final rebellion of nature against his lonely existence.

"Do you have to stay here?" he demanded, upon concluding arrangements at the office.

"No," Floyd replied.

"Come to dinner with me, then."

The mechanic shook his bronze-curling head in laughing refusal.

"There has been enough of that, Mr. Stanton; you come to dinner with me."

"At your home?" escaped Stanton involuntarily. He had a sudden vision of Jess and Jessica together, a premonition of mental bewilderment before the spectacle of their incredible likeness.

"I would like that, but you know we live up town, and I have got to be back here in an hour. Mr. Green wants me."

"Oh, anywhere you say. See here, why can't you wait and come on the train with me to Indianapolis? We might make the trip less monotonous for each other."

Taken by surprise, Floyd hesitated. "I—you are good to think of it—but Mr. Green would never consent. He has arranged for me to go on to-night."

"Why shouldn't he consent? You would be there in plenty of time."

Floyd turned his mischievous gray eyes to the other man's, guarding silence. But Stanton halted in the middle of the sidewalk, his face locking in his steel-hard anger and determination.

"I know what you mean, Floyd. And, speak openly, do you believe that you would be unable to stand forty-eight hours of me without leaving the company?"

"No."

"No?"

"No. I am very certain that I could stand much more of you than I am ever likely to get, Ralph Stanton. We are blocking traffic here, aren't we?"

For one passing moment he had looked Jessica herself; Stanton saw again the girl's sorrowful face as she bent over the embroidery, and heard her answer "often" to his question of her loneliness. They were not altogether sufficient for each other, then, these twins? They might possibly admit a third? Stanton caught his breath; a slow strong pulse of vague excitement began to beat in him, and thereafter was never stilled until a day when all his world crashed into blank stillness.

They went on to the quiet French restaurant that Floyd had chosen; so recovering tone on the way that they contrived to disagree over the merits of rival speedometers and argued energetically all through the dinner. They spent a long time over the simple meal, enjoying themselves completely. But at last they sank into a thoughtful silence, which Stanton was the first to break.

"I saw that Miss Floyd's arm was hurt, the other evening. I hope it is better."

Floyd raised his head, starting so violently as to overturn the goblet of water beside him.

"What do you mean?" he exclaimed sharply. "What do you mean? Her arm?"

The shattering of glass and the consequent flood brought their waiter on a run, but Floyd did not even glance down at the wreck, his eyes upon Stanton; who returned the gaze in utter amazement.

"What do I mean? I say that your sister's bracelet slipped off and scratched her arm, the night we went to the play, and I asked you if she were well. What is the matter with you?"

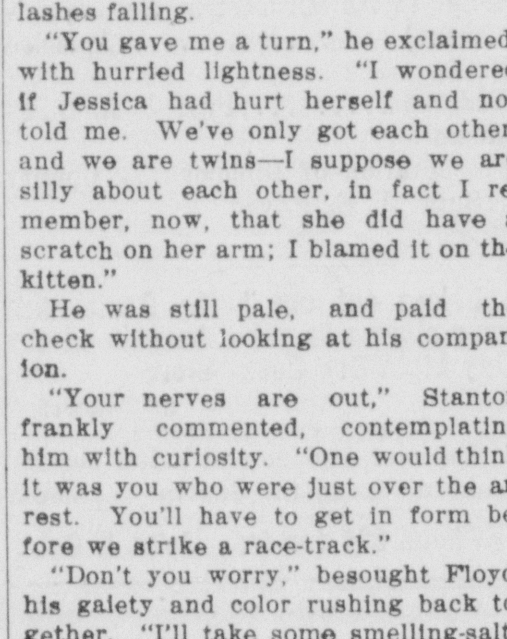
Floyd pushed back his chair to permit the waiter's ministrations, his lashes falling.

"You gave me a turn," he exclaimed, with hurried lightness. "I wondered if Jessica had hurt herself and not told me. We've only got each other, and we are twins—I suppose we are silly about each other, in fact I remember, now, that she did have a scratch on her arm; I blamed it on the kitten."

He was still pale, and paid the check without looking at his companion.

"Your nerves are out," Stanton frankly commented, contemplating him with curiosity. "One would think it was you who were just over the arrest. You'll have to get in form before we strike a race-track."

"Don't you worry," besought Floyd, his gaiety and color rushing back together. "I'll take some smelling-salts."



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with me in case I feel faint when you commence to speed up."

Outside the two paused, Floyd looking at his watch.

"I've got to go over to the office," he said. "Shall I see you again before we leave?"

"When is that?"

"Nine o'clock from the Grand Central. We always start a few days ahead of you, of course."

"Better shake hands, then," advised Stanton.

They did so, and separated.

At five minutes past nine, that evening, the Chicago special pulled out of New York. Ten minutes later a hand was laid on Floyd's shoulder, as he sat gazing out the window at the flying darkness and brightness that was the outskirts of the city.

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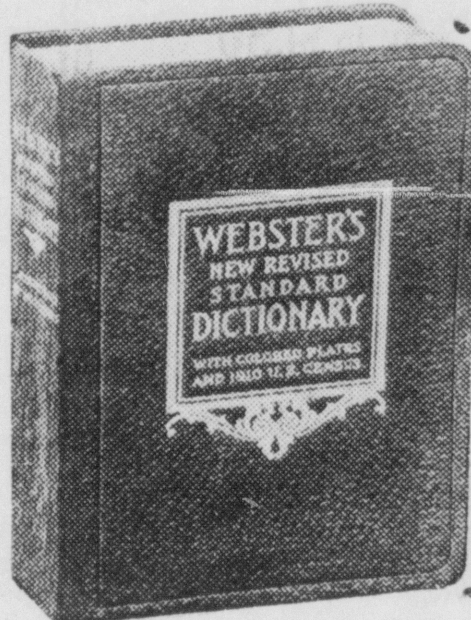
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His mechanic turned swiftly, incredulously.

"Stanton? Really you?"

"Since you had to start to-night, I saw no reason why I should not do likewise. I hate train travel; we'll get it over. You haven't answered my question yet."

"I didn't know that I had to," smiled Floyd.

And indeed there had been no possible mistaking of the welcome and pleasure in his cry, or in his truthful face. Stanton took the seat opposite and pulled a folded newspaper from his pocket, passing it across.

"I suppose you have seen that," he inferred.

"Race gossip?" questioned the other, taking the paper.

"Court news," was the correction.

The silence was long. After reading, Floyd turned his face to the window, and so remained. But at last he looked back to Stanton and nodded.

"Yes, it means that I get back my father's factory," he confirmed quietly.

"I am very glad, although it doesn't do me much actual good. I have no capital to run an automobile plant, and I will not sell unless I am forced to it."

"You would like to operate it?"

The blood ran up under Floyd's fine skin, he met Stanton's eyes with a glance of fire-ardent passion and desire.

"I'd give all the rest of my life to operate that factory for one year, as my father planned for me—I'd give it for six months to justify his faith and training. You do not know, you can not know!"

"Can I not?" Stanton retorted.

"Floyd, what do you think I am racing for, if I can not understand risk taking something for an object. I told you once that I would not live poor—"

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A Wild Running Fight In the Shenandoah Valley "Stonewall" Jackson Outgenerals His Opponents. General N. P. Banks' Federal Army Driven North of the Potomac---Fremont's Western Virginia Army Too Late to Stay Disaster---Spirited Encounters and Heroic Deeds at Front Royal and Winchester---The United States Government Seizes All Railroads Within Federal Territory---Alarm In the North.

By Captain GEORGE L. KILMER, Late U. S. V.

"STONEWALL" JACKSON'S campaign against General N. P. Banks in the Shenandoah valley during the last week of May, 1862, was a marvel in its simplicity, celerity and success. As usual, fortune favored the bold, and the boldness was Napoleonic.

Soon after the Kernstown fight, in the last week of March, Jackson learned that a Federal army under General J. C. Fremont was moving on his rear from western Virginia with the purpose of entrapping him between two foes, one from the lower and one from the upper end of the valley. As he was not strong enough to cope with both, he resolved to disappear with part of his troops, go around Fremont's column and head it off, then turn against Banks, who was on the other front down the valley.

While yet a novice in war, Jackson adopted two theories about military operations which he afterward practiced with success. The first was, "Always mystify, mislead and surprise the enemy if possible, and when you strike and overcome him never let up in the pursuit so long as your men have the strength to follow;" the second, "Never fight against heavy odds if by any possible maneuvering you can hurl your own force on only a part of your enemy and crush it."

A Campaign of Threats and Alarms.

The field of Jackson's exploits in the spring of 1862 was well suited for a trial of his theories. The Shenandoah valley between the head at Staunton and the Potomac river is over a hundred miles long. Staunton was a strong base for the Confederates in the valley because it had railway connections with the main Confederate armies south. The Federal forces were strong on the Potomac and if not opposed would advance up the valley on Staunton and so co-operate with the army threatening Richmond. Jackson's duty, when figured down to just what his government expected of him, was to keep up a scare in the valley, threaten to cross the Potomac and pounce upon Washington and in this way compel the northern government to maintain a large force in the vicinity. In other words, Jackson was to furnish occupation in the valley for Federal troops that otherwise would be sent to aid McClellan in front of Richmond.

In May, 1862, McClellan was advancing up the peninsula against the Confederate capital. A good sized Federal army under General McDowell was lying in the region just east of the Shenandoah valley, another under Fremont was in the mountains west of it, and another under Banks was fortified at Strasburg, a point about one-third of the way up the valley from the Potomac. Jackson was at Staunton. In the combined armies of Generals McDowell, Fremont and Banks there were about 80,000 men that could have been moved toward Richmond but for Confederate activity in the valley. Jackson's force was about 20,000. On May 8 the first battle of the campaign was fought at the village of McDowell, in the mountains west of the valley, between a division of Jackson's command and one of Fremont's under Schenck. Schenck led Fremont's advance and was co-operating with Banks, who was intending to advance up the valley from Strasburg toward Staunton. Schenck was defeated in the battle of May 8, and Jackson turned his attention at once to Banks at Strasburg. With his whole force he marched boldly down the valley in the direction of Strasburg, where Banks' army lay behind fortifications.

Jackson Mystifies His Foe.

When half way to Strasburg the column halted. Jackson posted a strong line of cavalry pickets to mask his movement from the Federal scouts, and with his infantry disappeared so suddenly that even the people of the region as well as the Federal leaders were mystified. Detachments of cavalry guarded every road on his line of

march, and his soldiers marched so rapidly that the movement seemed to be one of cavalry only. It was then that his infantry gained the name of "foot cavalry." They sometimes made thirty miles in twenty-four hours.

Leaving the Shenandoah valley, Jackson's army crossed the mountains to the eastward the night of May 22 and stealthily approached Front Royal, a post guarding Banks on the flank and rear.

Front Royal was surprised and captured after a sharp fight the evening of the 23d, and the hot pursuit began. The garrison of Front Royal retired step by step, fighting valiantly, but was at last overcome. Tidings of this disaster were carried to the Federal camps beyond the mountains during the night.

Jackson's mounted men in the surprise of Banks' outposts were led by General Turner Ashby, a soldier of the Francis Marion type, whose friends believed him to be the peer if not the master of Jeb Stuart. To Ashby Jackson gave the task of cutting the railroad and telegraph between Front Royal, the point of the first attack, and Banks' headquarters at Strasburg. Ashby struck the road at Buckton station. He found the depot and an adjoining building filled with Federal infantry. Without counting the cost, Ashby ordered a charge on horseback. His men were armed with sabers only.

A Bold Knight of the Saber.

The enemy being sheltered by buildings it was impossible for the assailants to ride among them, and two charges were repulsed. At last the Federal soldiers, who were men of western nerve, left the buildings and formed a line behind the railroad embankment. From that position they watched the destruction of the railway, depot and telegraph, interrupting the work as much as possible by rifle shots. Having carried out his orders, the daring cavalryman might have retired with honor from the field, but the coolness of the enemy stirred his warrior blood.

At the ringing call "Follow me!" the fearless column darted across the rugged space, leaping ditches, scaling fences until the roadbed was reached. The enemy lay behind the track and kept up a steady fusillade of bullets. Captain Fletcher of the leading squadron was shot dead on the track, and his men recoiled. The whole line then retreated, but Ashby soon wheeled, and with a few words of encouragement to the men who had lost their chief he said, "Now follow me." Again the foremost riders reached the embankment, and Ashby's horse leaped upon it.

Captain Sheets, a squadron leader, rode beside him. Sheets spurred his horse to plunge into the enemy's ranks, but at that moment a bullet pierced his brain. Ashby was parrying bayonet thrusts with his saber when this disaster again checked the spirit of the charge. Sheets' men fell back, carrying their dead leader with them, and Ashby reluctantly sounded the retreat.

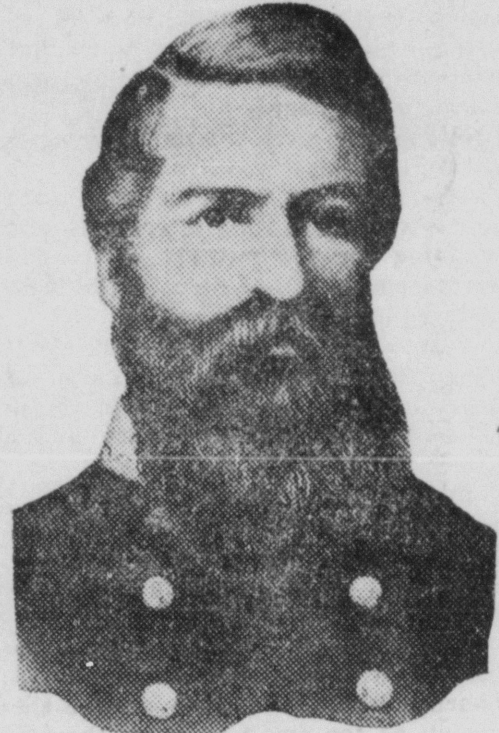
Ashby's foemen in the encounter at Buckton station consisted of Captain Hubbard's company of the Third Wisconsin and Captain Davis of the Twenty-seventh Indiana. They held the positions from 4 o'clock until dark, losing one killed and three wounded.

Jackson's Hot Pursuit.

Banks' main army meanwhile retreated from Strasburg down the valley, bent upon reaching shelter at the Potomac. Jackson intercepted the column at Newtown, ten miles from Strasburg, on the 24th and made heavy captures of material and prisoners of war. At Winchester Banks' soldiers made a firm stand, a naturally strong position ten miles from Newtown. Five Confederate brigades were launched against it. Banks' rear guard of 2,000 men, under General George H. Gordon, formed a thin line along the crest and kept Jackson in check more than three hours. Gordon's own regiment, the Second Massachusetts, bore the brunt of the battle and lost more men than any other regiment of the

army. During thirty-six hours of the sharpest work it marched fifty-four miles and for twenty-four hours was constantly skirmishing with Jackson's men.

One of the Winchester heroes was a telegraph operator belonging to the army service, Frank Drummond. He remained at the key until the friendly troops were all gone. The Confederate "yell" was sounding nearer and nearer, like the baying of hounds, and from all quarters came the rattle of musketry. Drummond had secreted all his dispatches on his person and was detaching the instrument from the board to keep it out of the enemy's hands when a belated orderly rushed in with a message for the commander of reserves at Harpers Ferry. With



GENERAL TURNER ASHBY, C. S. A., LEADER OF "STONEWALL" JACKSON'S CAVALRY IN THE SHENANDOAH CAMPAIGN.

one hand on the key calling Harpers Ferry he burned his dispatches with the other.

No answer came to the call. Drummond's horse, standing ready saddled at the door, was getting nervous at the firing, and he dropped the key to tie him. Going back, he called Harpers Ferry again and, getting no reply, seized his instrument and dashed it to pieces on a stone outside. The Confederates were firing down the street after some retreating soldiers, and Drummond ran the gantlet of bullets, only to fall into the hands of Ashby's Confederate cavalry. A long term in Libby prison was his reward for sticking to his post.

Washington In Danger?

From Winchester the pursuit continued all the way to Harpers Ferry, on the Potomac. The post was well manned with a reserve, and Jackson rested, satisfied with keeping up the scare by threatening attack, while his large



GENERAL N. P. BANKS, U. S. A., FEDERAL COMMANDER IN THE SHENANDOAH VALLEY IN THE SPRING OF 1862.

hauls of plunder were being removed up the valley to his camp at Staunton. Although Fremont's army marched promptly from western Virginia into the valley in Jackson's rear, the wily Confederate made good his escape to his base at Staunton, actually racing with Fremont for its possession.

Jackson's marvelous exploits and the retreat of Banks north of the Potomac created an alarm of the first magnitude all over the north. A hurry call was sent out for militia to save Washington from capture and half a million men offered their services within twenty-four hours. For the first time the Federal government confiscated the property of its loyal supporters to further the prosecution of the war. Under plea of an emergency the government took possession of the railroad lines throughout the north for military purposes. Legislative authority for this extraordinary step had been in Lincoln's hands for months, but was not exercised until the following edict

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Jackson had created the emergency.

Other Events of the Week.

On May 20 a treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the suppression of the slave trade was ratified in London. The advance guard of the Army of the Potomac reached the Chickahominy river opposite Richmond and about seven miles from that city.

The United States military telegraph service, organized by the late General T. T. Eckert, was in operation from Fortress Monroe to within fourteen miles of Richmond, where the terminal office was in a sawmill.

May 21 M. Mercier, French minister to the United States, returned to Washington from a secret visit to the Confederate capital at Richmond. His trip had been taken with the knowledge of President Lincoln and the secretary of state.

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"What's the matter with them?" asked the photographer.

"Well," replied the girl, "I've ideas of my own—you know I attend a school and we've studied portraiture. Now, there's a certain stiffness in all of those photographs downstairs—" "Stiffness!" interrupted the photographer, brusquely. "Well, all I can say is that your art school needs a new teacher! Why, every one of those photographs that you criticize has won medals—two of them in Paris!"

"I can't help that," returned the girl, gently but firmly. "On the face of that 'Madonna and Child' that's marked 'First Prize' there's an extremely worried look—you can see that the camera was held a second too long and the product isn't easy and natural."

"Well, but Madonnas are all sort of worried—look at the great ones," protested the photographer, earnestly.

The girl smiled amusedly, as she might have smiled at a small boy expressing his views on art. "But, don't you see, they're natural in those great pictures," she said. "The worry, if that's what you call it, isn't because the Madonna's afraid her mouth will be stiff from holding the expression too long. Her eyes aren't stiff from being afraid of winking and blinking. Do you see what I mean?" She draped her train more gracefully.

"Well, we've got to hurry now," said the photographer, glancing at his watch and looking meaningfully at the closed doors of the various dressing rooms. "How do you want yours taken? I suppose you want to pose yourself?"

"Of course," responded the girl, coldly. She smoothed back her hair and smiled sweetly, bending a trifle forward. "There, I think this is a very good pose," she remarked, modestly.

"Um-hum!" the operator smiled. "That'll be a peach. It'll give you a nice big head and bring the forehead out beautifully! It'll quite hide your smile with your nose, which will be large enough for any modest human being, and if I take it full length people will wonder whether one foot is really so much larger than the other or if it's just your shoes."

She heard him snap the bulb—it clicked loudly—and so she knew that was over.

"Now, another pose, please!" He was aggressively polite.

The girl in the evening gown held herself frigidly. "I think I'll have one, now, sitting dreamily—not any particular pose. I'll just put myself in the attitude and when my expression is really that of a dreamer—when I've sufficiently forgotten your presence and that of the camera—you may snap me."

The photographer drew up a chair with much commotion and settled himself in it. "All right, get set!" he ordered, wearily.

The girl, for lack of a window, selected a certain leafy fly to set her soul upon in meditation.

"Well," she exclaimed, after five silent minutes had elapsed, "why don't you snap me?"

"I haven't seen that dreamy expression yet." The tone of the photographer was calm.

The girl opened her lips to speak but closed them and took up her position again. "Snap me in two minutes!" she ordered, tersely.

She dreamed during what seemed to her several minutes without hearing a sound from the camera. Her lips were dry and her eyes ached from being kept in one position. She closed her eyes a second for rest, wiping her lips with her tongue, when—click! She knew the photograph was taken.

"Just two minutes," exclaimed the photographer, energetically, as he shut his watch.

"Do—do you think it will be good?" queried the girl, apprehensively. "I—just know I blinked and that I had my tongue out in that last one!"

"Well, you can't tell about these artistic pictures," commented the photographer, sagely. "But I'll tell you what I'll do—I'll take a few quick snaps, now, on my own hook. Just you sit and do what I tell you and I think you'll manage to get a few good poses for you."

When the door of the dressing room closed on the girl in pink the photographer said to his assistant, who had come in to remove the plates: "I fooled her, all right—can't afford to let these people run the studio. Why, every woman would be trying to pose herself and they would spoil plates by the score. She took some classy poses—and when she was tired holding them I snapped the case of my watch shut—and told her how fierce the pictures would be. Of course, I'll tell her that they came out too dark to be recognized, so she'll have to be satisfied with one of these poses that I made her take. 'Now, send in the next one.'"

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Fifty Years Ago Today. May 28.

Horses were in demand for the United States army. Cavalry mounts brought \$104 to \$107 and artillery horses \$109. General Franz Sigel, the popular war hero of the hour, was received by Lincoln at the White House.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Major Ben Perley Poore, noted newspaper correspondent at Washington, died at the age of sixty-seven.

Is there anything in all this world that is of more importance to you than good digestion? Food must be eaten to sustain life and must be digested and converted into blood. When the digestion fails the whole body suffers. Chamberlain's Tablets are a rational and reliable cure for indigestion. They increase the flow of bile, purify the blood, strengthen the stomach, and tone up the whole digestive apparatus to a natural and healthy action. For sale by all dealers.

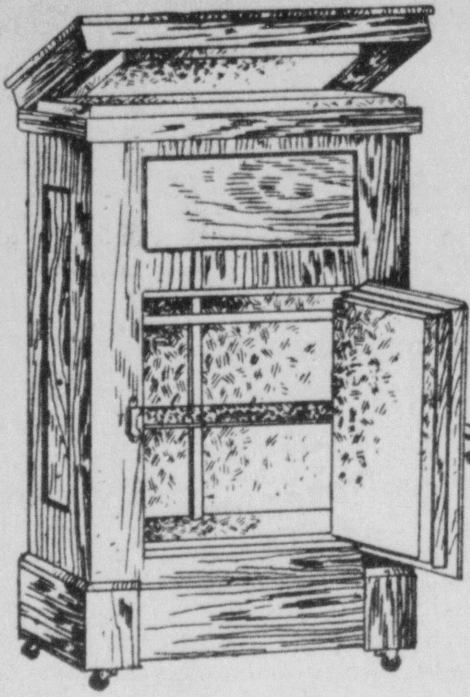
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While we lead and are never behind
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Our line it is simply great
Unexcelled lines of best of shoes
That tells money saving news

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Best of all—we do excell
Assortment here is always nice
Really at a money saving price
Get wise and money do save here
And to make you swell appear
Indeed you get of life the best
Now when you are so well dressed

The Philadelphia Bargain Store

Mid-Season Sale on all Trimmed Hats

and Untrimmed Shapes. Beginning Friday, May 31, and Continuing for 10 days only. To Reduce Stock.

Miss M. Kustedt.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

MARRIED.

McINTIRE-FORGER.
George McIntire, a well known farmer of Farmington and Miss Inez Forger of Freetown announced Monday evening that they have been married since Thursday, May 23.
Rev. Frank Reynolds of Cortland performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. McIntire will reside on a farm near Farmington.

Surprised.

The members of the Aid Society of the First M. E. church planned a very pleasant surprise for Mrs. Mary Forsythe Saturday at her home on east Third street, in honor of her eighty-fifth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Forsythe is still suffering from injuries she received in a fall over a year ago, and is unable to attend the meeting of the society.

Prices cut one half. Don't miss your chance to get a bargain at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

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A son was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell.

Now is the time to lay in a supply while everything is so reasonable at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

m22d&wtf

Hardy's Story of His Grandfather.

Mr. Thomas Hardy attended a meeting of the Natural History society at Dorchester, at which Mr. Alfred Pope related a story communicated to him by the novelist. The story concerned Mr. Hardy's grandfather, and told how one night he outwitted two men who were bent on robbing him.
He sat down on a furze faggot, placed his hat (on which he had previously put a number of glow worms) on his knees, stuck two fern fronds on his head to represent horns, pulled from his pocket a letter he chanced to have with him, and began reading it by the light of the glow worms. In a few days there was a rumor in the neighborhood that the devil had been seen at midnight reading a list of his victims by glow worm light.—London Evening Standard.

Don't miss your chance to get a bargain at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

m22d&wtf

Milk Mills.

There is a tradition of a little slum boy from London who was very disappointed with the country, where he went for a short holiday, because he saw them "pump milk from a dirty old cow." The boy's idea of artificial milk is within realization, for, according to "L'Opinion," after manufactured butter we are to have artificial milk. It is already consumed extensively in China, and a mill is to be set up in France. The Chinese drop a few grains of powder into water, stir it, and it becomes milk. The powder is the soja bean crushed, and the French mill is to treat the bean so as to enable the milk powder to be sold in packets. It is said that an excellent cheese is obtained by the same process.—London Globe.

Big slaughter sale now going on at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

m22d&wtf

Famous Pearls in History.

We read of pearls—oyster pearls, as they were called—in Chinese records dating back nearly 3,000 years, and Persian history and Persian poetry abound in mention of the pearl as a symbol of purity, and this association of ideas has persisted until the present day. But it is a curious fact that though we have read so much about famous pearls which have played great parts in history, there is hardly an authentic instance of any pearl being still in existence which has any antiquity of its own or made history of any importance. This is partly due to the fact that valuable pearls were nearly always stolen in the brave days of yore, and their unlawful owners had good reason for concealing their historical identity.

Don't miss your chance to get a bargain at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

d&wtf

Lights Replace Ushers.

To economize on ushers a New York moving picture theater has installed small incandescent lamps on the backs of the seats, arranged to burn only when a seat is unoccupied.

Big reduction sale now going on at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

d&wtf

GUARANTEE OF GOOD FAITH

Merchant Who Advertises Creates Good Impression Among People of His Town.

Advertising is a guarantee of good faith. It is evidence of efficiency and success.

The advertising of local stores in such a town as ours, says the Keokuk (Ia.) Gate City, is one of the cleanest phases of modern business. Retail trade attracts a substantial class of men who prefer to tell the truth for its own sake, and would not cheat their neighbors if they could.

Of course motives of self interest also warn them to take pains to make advertising accurate, for misstatements produce disgruntled customers who can make a lot of trouble for a store which depends for success on its townspeople.

If men of less responsible character sometimes go into retail trade, they are too shrewd to make misstatements in the cold publicity of advertising type. Our experience is that complaints of misrepresentation are almost never heard.

The public thus learns from experience that local store advertising is trustworthy. As it deals with such subjects of surpassing interest as cost of living and the fashions of the day every line of it is read with the most discriminating attention.

People like to read and think about shopping before visiting a store. A great many purchasers are practically made from the newspaper before the buyer leaves home.

Furthermore, liberal advertising tells the public that a merchant is making good. Lack of it is interpreted as lack of confidence in one's business.

The firm that does not advertise is classed with the firm that seeks an obscure location in some remote side street, as too small to serve the public efficiently.

When a firm advertises freely, it gives the idea that it has a large trade to pay the expenses of the publicity. A big breezy impression of achievement is conveyed.

Nothing succeeds like success. Human nature is such, that to succeed, one must often give the impression that he has already succeeded. The public is slow to deal with propositions that do not suggest successful trade to pay the expenses of the public efficiency.

The man who has faith enough to discount the future a little, to put his earnings into his business, and by liberal advertising give the impression of having a big trade already, is sure to get it if only his goods are right.

Study your goods before you spend a cent in advertising them. Find out what use people make of them. Find out what they are good for and whom they are good for. Tell people what they already know about them and something more. Answer the questions which will be reasonably asked.
—Jed Scarboro.

The Disciplinarian.

There is in our navy a certain rear-admiral, grave, serious-minded, conscientious, who is an excellent disciplinarian. But he had his failures, too.

In his younger days he was greatly distressed by the carelessness of his charming wife. She had pinned her silk petticoat in the back until there was a great frayed place at the band. She continued to wear the petticoat, however, although her efforts to keep on pinning it at the frayed place always evoked a little storm of irritation and temper.

In vain her husband urged her to mend it. Finally he decided that the only way to reform his wife was to fill her with remorse. So this future commander of battle-ships with his own hands ripped off the old frayed band and sewed on a new one. Then he took it to his wife. She was greatly moved, thanked him, kissed him, and left the room.

Presently she came back, her arms laden with garments.

"Here are a few more for you, dearest," she said. "But please don't hurry about them. Just fix them whenever you have time."

And she put seven petticoats on the chair beside him.—Youth's Companion.

Big reduction sale now going on at the Day Light Dry Goods Store.

m22d&wtf

Weather Indications.

Showers tonight. Wednesday generally fair.

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WANTED—Girl to assist in general house work. Good wages. Inquire here. m31d

FOR SALE—Gem Restaurant on Indianapolis Avenue, including all fixtures and business. Inquire at restaurant, Evan Snyder. m30d

FOR SALE—Cabbage and tomato plants, 10 and 15 cents per 100. W. C. Daily, first house north of golf link, Ewing street. m27d

FOR SALE—Eight room residence and store room on corner Blish and Third. Inquire of owners on premises. m29d

FOR SALE—Up-right piano in good condition. Inquire here. f19d

FOR RENT—Five room cottage on West Fifth street, between Chestnut and Walnut. Inquire of N. M. Carlson. j1d

FOR RENT—Six room house, south Carter street. Inquire William Willman, Chestnut and Laurel. m22d

FOR RENT—An eight room modern cottage, corner Pine and Homestead Ave. Enquire at residence. m24d

FOR RENT—Business room corner of Third and Mill streets. Mrs. Heitman. j3d

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Mrs. Heitman. j3d

FOR RENT—7 room house, gas and water. E. C. Bollinger. f27d

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